

## REMARKS

### ELECTION WITHOUT TRAVERSE

5           In response to the office action mailed on September 25, 2007, applicant responds as follow:

          It appears that the Office formed the following groups in the office action:

Group I: Claims 1-23 and 33-50;

Group II: Claims 24-32; and

10   Group III: Claims 50-56.

          The claims of Group I were all classified in class 463, subclass 16. The claims of Group II were classified in class 463, subclass 20. The claims of Group III were classified in class 463, subclass 30.

          Accordingly, applicant elects Group I and withdraws the claims directed to Groups II and  
15   III.

## CONCLUSION

          For all of the above reasons, the applicant submits that the present application is in condition for allowance. If the examiner has any questions regarding the application or this  
20   response, the examiner is encouraged to call the applicant's attorney, Ian F. Burns, at (775) 826-6160.

Respectfully submitted,

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